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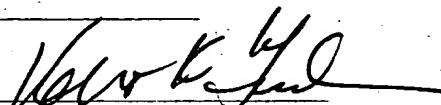
Title: LIQUID CRYSTAL BASED OPTICAL SWITCH UTILIZING
DIFFRACTION

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LETTER

Honorable Commissioner
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The notice of March 8, 2003 (sic) has an amount due for the filing fee which is
not understood.

The original filing fee of September 20, 2001, in the amount of \$355.00 (Check
No. 1038) was accepted by the patent office.

The undersigned then received a Notice to Supply Missing Parts due to a
deficiency in the filing fee. The surcharge was \$65.00. At the time this made the total
due of \$420.00.

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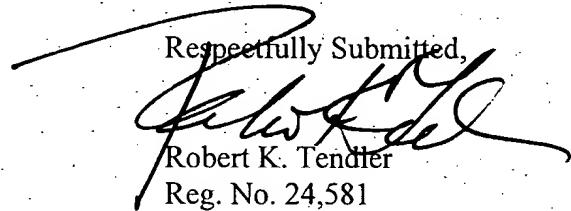
At the time the application was filed, the fee calculation sheet indicated that filing fees could be charged to Deposit Account No. 20-0449.

In the meantime, the filing fee has risen from \$355.00 to \$370.00, an additional \$15.00.

Applicant therefore supplies a check in the amount of \$500, which covers the \$420.00, plus the \$65.00 surcharge, plus the \$15.00 increase in filing fees.

It would be appreciated if your office could check to see if any of these fees were charged to Deposit Account No. 20-0449. If so, crediting of the enclosed check would be appreciated. A copy of your letter of March 8, 2003, (sic) is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,


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